

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. K. Brown,  
Sharon, Vt. R. F. D.

# *Strafford*

## TOWN REPORT



*January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946*

*Strafford - - Vermont*



## WARNING FOR TOWN AND SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

(Not Official)

- Art. 1. To elect a Moderator.
- Art. 2. To elect a Town Clerk.
- Art. 3. To hear and act upon the report of the Auditors.
- Art. 4. To vote upon the question: "Shall the Selectmen be empowered to appoint one or two Road Commissioners, or shall one or two Road Commissioners be elected by ballot".
- Art. 5. To elect all other necessary officers.
- Art. 6. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of the Public Laws relating to the collection of taxes by its Treasurer, together with the time of payment of the same, and the rate of discount allowed.
- Art. 7. To see how much money the Town will raise for the support of schools.
- Art. 8. To see how much money the Town will raise to support the poor, defray ordinary expenses and bridge and highway expenses, under the direction of the Selectmen.
- Art. 9. To see how much money the Town will raise for the maintenance of back roads or unselected roads.
- Art. 10. To see how much money the Town will raise for selected highways.
- Art. 11. To see how much money the Town will raise for patrol and resurfacing, to take advantage of the State Aid Laws.
- Art. 12. To see if the Town will vote to deduct a certain per cent from wages of delinquent taxpayers to apply on their taxes.
- Art. 13. Shall license for the sale of vinous beverages be granted in this Town? Shall spirituous liquors be sold in this Town?
- Art. 14. To transact any other legal business.

DELWIN I. PRESTON,  
GEORGE K. BROWN,  
FRANK BROWN,

Selectmen.

GEORGE K. BROWN,  
W. F. CAMPBELL,  
W. G. NORTON,

School Directors.

## TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator George I. Varney  
Clerk and Treasurer Elizabeth M. F. Chandler  
Assistant Clerk and Treasurer L. Irene Chandler  
Selectmen,  
Delwin I. Preston, George K. Brown, Frank Brown  
Road Commissioner,  
Frank Brown; Delwin L. Lewis for Winter Roads  
Permanent Highway Commissioner Frank Brown  
Overseer of Poor Luman A. Judd  
Town Grand Juror Howard B. Varney  
Constable S. Walker Eastburn  
Listers,  
Kendall E. Jordan, Howard B. Varney, Glenn E. Titus  
School Directors,  
George K. Brown, W. F. Campbell, W. G. Norton  
Auditors, H. N. Mattison, Robert H. Ordway,  
Donovan D. Preston  
Trustees of Public Funds,  
Rosa B. Tyson, Wm. B. Mobus, Howard B. Varney

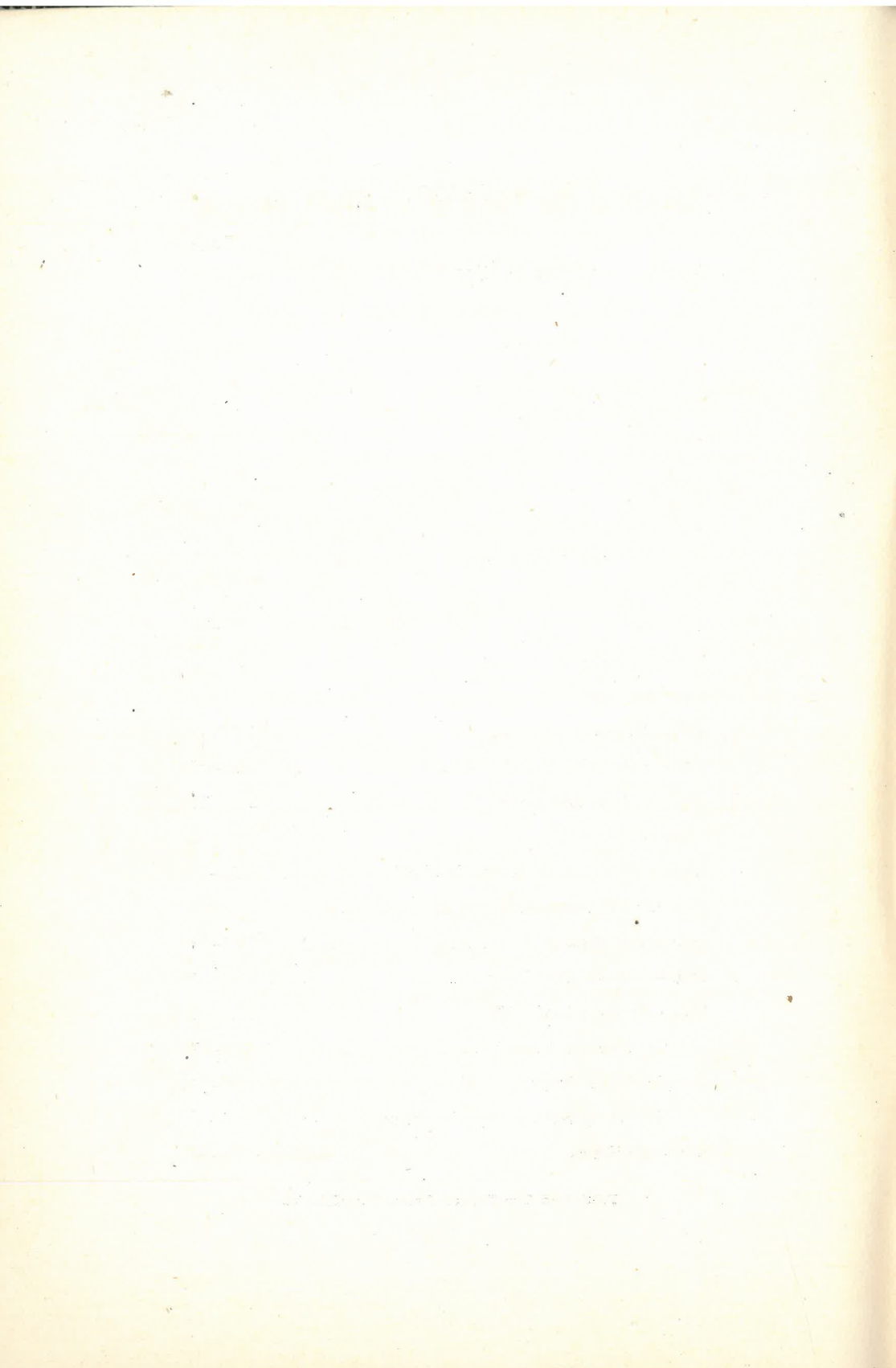
## Appointive Town Officers

Fire Warden Luman A. Judd  
Pound Keeper A. L. Sargent  
Fence Viewers,  
W. G. Norton, George K. Brown, Kendall E. Jordan  
Surveyors of Wood and Lumber A. J. Colby, I. O. Pixley



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# Report of the Town of Strafford, Vermont

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

January 1, 1947

### ASSETS

Balance in Library Account	\$ 1.98
Balance in Community Building Account	158.13
Chevrolet Truck	1,600.00
Delinquent Taxes in hands of Constable	1,549.24
Unexpended Balance in Permanent Highway Account	330.00
Balance in General Account	8,530.82
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	\$ 12,170.17

### LIABILITIES

3% Library Fund	\$ 6,150.00
3% Interest Bearing Town Orders	5,500.00
Outstanding Order in Permanent Highway Account	41.82
Funds belonging to Community Building	158.13
Overdraft in Town Highway Account	1.98
Funds belonging to Library	1.98
Balance (excess of Assets over Liabilities)	316.26
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	\$ 12,170.17

### GRAND LIST FOR 1946

Listers' valuation of all taxable real estate in Town	\$341,031.00
Listers' valuation of all personal property in Town	69,187.00
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Total	\$410,218.00
1% of amount	\$ 4,102.18
326 polls at \$1 each	326.00
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Grand List	\$ 4,428.18

## TAXES VOTED AND MONEY RAISED AS FOLLOWS:

	Rate On the Dollar	
Town tax for General Fund	\$1.60	\$ 7,085.08
Tax for School purposes	2.00	8,856.36
Tax for Unselected Roads	.30	1,328.45
Tax for Selected Roads	.15	664.23
Tax for Permanent Highway	.50	2,214.09
Tax per Sec. 4878 Public Laws	.10	442.82
	<hr/> \$4.65	<hr/> \$20,591.03
Old Age Assistance Tax, \$2.50 per poll,		733.50
		<hr/> \$ 21,324.53

## QUADRENNIAL APPRAISAL

October 15, 1946

- A. Total appraised valuation of all taxable real estate \$388,995.00
- B. Total appraised valuation of all lands sequestered for public, pious or charitable uses and paying an annual rent \$ 2,441.00
- C. Total appraised valuation of all lands sequestered for public, pious or charitable uses and NOT paying an annual rent \$ 57,200.00

## GRAND LIST COMPARISONS

1942 .....	\$3,996.70
1943 .....	4,022.04
1944 .....	4,394.55
1945 .....	4,365.75
1946 .....	4,428.18



## TREASURER'S REPORT

Elizabeth M. F. Chandler, Treasurer

### Receipts

1946			
Jan.	1	Unexpended balance:	
		General Account	\$ 6,058.81
		Library Account	1.25
		Community Building Account	130.63
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			\$ 6,190.69
	24	L. R. Kelly, State Treasurer, resurfacing	354.87
Feb.	1	L. R. Kelly, State Treasurer, town highways	4,356.59
	12	Harry J. Benoit, for breaking road	10.00
	23	Elsie Truehart, on burial of P. Truehart	2.00
Mar.	1	U. S. Treasury, income on Morrill bonds	41.25
	14	Ladies' Benevolent Circle, toward mowing common, 1945	20.00
Apr.	6	Town of Norwich, winter roads	96.75
	10	Town of Thetford, winter roads	100.10
	24	Town of Vershire, winter roads	111.40
	27	Town of Sharon, winter roads	7.70
May	21	L. R. Kelly, State Treasurer, winter maintenance	1,673.55
Jun.	3	U. S. Treasury, interest on Morrill bonds	13.75
	5	Town Clerk, dog licenses	278.00
	14	Ladies' Benevolent Circle, toward mowing common, 1946	25.00
Jul.	12	L. R. Kelly, State Treasurer, 49 porcupine bounties	24.50
	20	Strafford School, for window panes in Town House	.50
	31	Town of Sharon, for road work	218.70
Aug.	16	A. L. & M. R. Sargent, loan at 3%	2,500.00
Sep.	2	U. S. Treasury, income on Morrill bonds	41.25
	16	George K. Brown, loan at 3%	3,000.00

DATE		AMOUNT
	27 L. R. Kelly, State Treasurer, 98 porcupine bounties	49.00
Oct.	16 Elsie, Peter and Charles Truehart, on burial of P. Truehart	8.00
	30 L. R. Kelly, State Treasurer, surface retreatment	2,514.51
Nov.	1 Charles Truehart, on burial of P. Truehart	4.00
	6 Charles Truehart, on burial of P. Truehart	2.00
	15 Federal Housing Agency, in lieu of taxes on Housing Project	1,039.75
	16 Don Orr, rebate on Order 86, Special Highway	20.30
Dec.	2 U. S. Treasury, interest on Morrill bonds	13.75
	3 Charles Webster, work with bulldozer Tax Payers, poll, real estate and personal property taxes	112.00
	11 L. R. Kelly, State Treasurer, state aid resurfacing highway	10,817.78
	14 Delwin I. Preston, work with bulldozer	4,786.42
	Barrett Memorial Hall Trustees, toward painting Town Hall	12.00
	Ralph Brown, work with bulldozer	200.00
	Ladies' Benevolent Circle, toward painting Town Hall	16.00
	25 L. R. Kelly, State Treasurer, Town Highways	100.00
	30 Selectmen to S. W. Eastburn, abatement of delinquent taxes	4,094.21
	31 S. W. Eastburn, delinquent tax bill	161.39
	Selectmen's Account, bridge work	1,565.85
	Selectmen's Account, winter roads	50.00
	Harold C. Ward, scale account, 78 weighings at 5c	955.85
	George I. Varney, scale account, 160 weighings at 5c	3.90
		8.00
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		\$ 45,601.31

### Disbursements

Selectmen's Account	\$17,249.59	
Winter Road Account	955.85	
Town Highway Account	6,497.57	
Permanent Highway Account	9,642.69	
Poor Account	2,050.91	
Library Account	183.77	
	<hr/>	\$36,580.38
Unexpended balance, Jan. 1, 1947		9,020.93
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		\$ 45,601.31

### PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN

(Not included in assets)

Sawyer forest	\$ 300.00
Community building	1,500.00
Jas. S. Morrill fund (income to be used for Permanent Highway purposes only)	3,300.00
Austin road machine	50.00
Cletrac tractor	1,200.00
Ross snowplow	100.00
Town storehouse and garage	400.00
Herbert Jewett land	50.00
Sand spreader	50.00
Caterpillar road machine	150.00
U. S. 2½ % Series G. War Savings Bonds (Jas. S. Morrill fund for Community Building)	1,100.00
New truck snowplow	565.00
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	\$ 8,765.00

### AUDITORS' REPORT

We, the undersigned Auditors, hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the various Town Officers who are authorized to draw against funds in the Treasury, and find them correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. N. MATTISON,  
ROBERT H. ORDWAY,  
DONOVAN D. PRESTON,  
Auditors.

## SELECTMEN'S ACCOUNT

Delwin I. Preston, George K. Brown, Frank Brown,  
Selectmen

### Disbursements

1935		
Sep. 3	B. M. Hall Trustees, money loaned at 4%	\$ 1,000.00
1938		
Apr. 28	B. M. Hall Trustees, money loaned at 4%	2,000.00
1939		
Oct. 3	Newton Fund Trustees, money loaned at 4%	2,000.00
1940		
Apr. 3	Mabel G. Ross, money loaned at 4%	425.00
1941		
Dec. 8	Mabel Ross, money loaned at 4%	200.00
1946		
Jan. 8	Vt. Copper Co., welding gas tank	2.20
	Physicians and Town Clerk, reporting and returning vital statistics	4.75
9	J. Guy Huntley, 1 week	24.00
	Alfred Trombley, 1 week	14.40
10	Treasurer, State of Vermont, hauling gravel	62.95
	Miller Automobile Co., labor on tractor	9.38
	Byron Titus, breaking roads	10.00
11	George Benjamin, bridge plank	238.50
12	Miller Automobile Co., battery for tractor	46.23
16	Charles Judd, wire	2.00
	James Hayes, 2 weeks	63.00
17	C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	59.33
	Wilson & Keyser, services	10.00
Feb. 1	Tuttle Stationery Co., land record volume	72.54
	Auditors, audit and postage	58.97
2	James Hayes, 2 weeks	99.40



DATE		AMOUNT
	6 Roy L. Johnson Co., 300 town reports	106.81
	7 Miller Auto Co., repairs	9.31
	Hathorn's Auto Service, groucers	80.54
	Casellini Venable Corp., repairs	7.30
	The Brick Store, gas and oil	44.57
	9 J. S. Druge, work on tractor	18.75
	12 James Hayes, 1 week	35.00
	16 C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	59.33
	20 James Hayes, 1 week	37.10
	22 Harrington's Garage, 5 gals. alcohol, and charging batteries	9.00
Mar.	1 Hunters, porcupine bounties, 3 mos.	6.50
	2 Miller Automobile Co., tractor repairs	11.07
	5 James Hayes, 3 weeks	107.80
	Frank Kennedy, 1 week	23.80
	Howard Harrington, 1 week	28.00
	John Druge, 1 week	33.00
	S. W. Eastburn, town meeting expenses	19.00
	7 Byron Titus, plowing roads	12.00
	11 H. N. Mattison, county tax	87.52
	12 Tuttle Stationery Co., town officers' bonds and record book for same	6.16
	14 C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	59.33
	16 R. K. Prescott, plowing and sanding	1,049.30
	The Brick Store, gasoline	35.46
	18 R. K. Prescott, oil, gas for tractor	38.60
	James Hayes, 1 week	24.00
	Milo L. Sleeper, insurance on Town Hall	50.00
	21 James Hayes, 1 week	48.80
	23 G. E. Bassingthwaighte, electrical work at garage, janitor special town meeting, and repairing piano stool	33.00
	30 F. L. Lewis, hauling sand and inner tube for road machine	18.09
Apr.	9 Charles Boothroyd, watching fire	5.00
	10 John E. Durkee, plowing snow	48.00

DATE		AMOUNT
	15 Jim Brown, 2 adjustable posts for bridge	18.38
	17 C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	59.33
	19 Philip Hoyt, watching fire	5.00
	20 Mark Perkins, work on bridges	25.00
	22 Frank P. Free, Adm., 2 delinquent tax receipt books and postage	.59
	27 Treasurer, State of Vermont, sand on winter roads	36.00
May	1 Treasurer, making poll tax book	10.00
	6 K. E. Jordan, listing and cash paid	65.00
	H. B. Varney, listing and cash paid	65.00
	Glenn E. Titus, listing and cash paid	65.00
	9 E. W. Thurber, 350 tax notices and receipts, 2 order books and postage	10.50
	11 Harold Padgett, labor	18.00
	16 Town Treasurer, figuring real estate and personal property taxes	30.00
	C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	59.33
	18 Hathorns, Inc., repairs on tractor	126.73
	The Brick Store, supplies	1.77
	30 John W. Gibson, bridge plank	55.00
	Miller Automobile Co., power takeoff	48.92
	R. K. Prescott, trucking plank	16.00
Jun.	1 Hunters, 36 porcupine bounties, three months	18.00
	4 Treasurer, 1% of poll tax collection	20.60
	Treasurer, making delinquent poll tax book	2.50
	15 C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	59.33
	25 Town Clerk and Treasurer, services, 6 mos.	100.00
Jul.	4 Harrington's Garage, labor on tractor	4.00
	15 Glenn Titus, labor, self and truck	33.00
	Homer Bullard, labor	6.00
	Harold Padgett, labor	15.75
	19 C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	59.33

DATE		AMOUNT
	23 J. D. Frye, repairing scales	64.20
	24 Physicians, communicable diseases reported	1.50
Aug.	6 Frank P. Free, road signs	8.00
	14 S. W. Eastburn, primary election expenses	28.81
	C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	59.53
	20 Hall Brothers, painting Town Hall	1,182.00
	23 Edward H. Peet, insurance on garage, tractor and plow	11.00
	28 White River Paper Co., index book for office	4.65
Sep.	2 Hunters, 98 porcupine bounties, three months	49.00
	5 Kendall E. Jordan, quadrennial appraisal and cash paid	70.00
	Howard B. Varney, quadrennial appraisal and cash paid	70.00
	Glenn E. Titus, quadrennial appraisal and cash paid	70.00
	14 Ralph Perkins, plank	2.80
	16 Milo L. Sleeper, care of town clock	25.00
	18 C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	60.28
	23 International Salt Co., road salt	89.40
	George K. Brown, trip to White River Junction	5.00
	26 E. W. Thurber, Printer, tax notices and receipts, postage and insurance	8.00
Oct.	2 Marion W. Button, Treasurer, Farm Bureau Association	110.73
	14 State Treasurer, Old Age Assistance tax	733.50
	Glenn Titus, mowing common	56.00
	15 Capital Savings Bank & Trust Co., printing and binding 500 checks	2.40
	16 C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and garage lights	59.33
	25 Milo L. Sleeper, insurance on Community Building	24.54

DATE		AMOUNT
Nov.	4 E. W. Thurber, 15 order books and 3 dog license books	11.25
	5 Constable, General Election expenses	37.67
	20 C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and gar- age lights	59.33
Dec.	2 Hunters, 57 porcupine bounties, three months	28.50
	5 Treasurer, 1% fee for tax collection	176.14
	Treasurer, making delinquent tax book	1.95
	6 Harry Dodge, damage to wagon	10.00
	Frank Brown, repairs for tractor	10.00
	R. K. Prescott, truck	1,600.00
	7 John Drysdale, printing warning for special town meeting	6.76
	14 Casellini Venable Corp., truck snow plow	565.00
	A. J. Colby, damage to sheep by dogs	40.00
	16 C. V. P. S. Corp., street, hall and gar- age lights	59.33
	24 Charles N. Paine, insurance on town truck	45.75
	27 G. I. Varney, supplies	12.24
	28 Mabel G. Ross, interest, one year on Orders Nos. 1048 and 059	25.00
	Newton Fund Trustees, interest on Order No. 1008	80.00
	B. M. Hall Trustees, interest one year on Orders Nos. 734 and 921	120.00
	E. M. F. Chandler, balance of pay for services as town clerk and treas- urer, 1946	400.00
	Town Clerk and Treasurer, postage, telephone, envelopes, etc.	39.79
	Town Clerk, recording 18 discharges and 18 copies to Adjutant Gen- eral	18.00
	George K. Brown, interest at 3% on Order No. E59	26.25
	A. L. & M. R. Sargent, interest at 3% on Order No. E48	28.13



DATE		AMOUNT
	Motor Vehicle Dept., registering truck	5.00
31	George I. Varney, gas and oil	159.94
	George Bassingthwaighte, services as health officer	31.80
	Frank Brown, services as selectman	25.00
	George K. Brown, services as selectman	25.00
	Delwin I. Preston, services as selectman	25.00
	R. K. Prescott, trucking	25.00
	S. W. Eastburn, tax abatements	161.39
	Town Road Account, bridge work	50.00
	Snow Account, winter roads	955.85
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		\$ 17,249.59

#### Summary of General Account

Selectmen's Account	\$17,249.59
Winter Road Account	955.85
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	\$ 18,205.44

#### Interest Bearing Orders Outstanding Jan. 1, 1947

Order No. E48, dated Aug. 16, 1946, A. L. & M. R. Sargent	\$ 2,500.00
Order No. E59, dated Sept. 16, 1946, George K. Brown	3,000.00
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	\$ 5,500.00

#### REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

The local Department of Public Health reports as follows:

Eighteen cases chickenpox, one case of mumps and three cases of German measles. Four water supplies have been inspected.

GEORGE E. BASSINGTHWAIGHTE,  
Health Officer.

## POOR ACCOUNT

L. A. Judd, Overseer

(All orders charged to General Account)

1945			
Dec. 31	Eunice Stevens, board of Harland Brown to Jan. 3	\$	17.00
1946			
Jan. 17	Melvin Benjamin, wood for Fred Russell		8.50
19	Marie Pixley, board Erno girl to Jan. 21		16.00
21	Lena Winship, Howard Cota board to Jan. 21		25.00
	Dept. of Public Welfare, month of December, 1945		28.15
Feb. 4	City of Montpelier, Mamie Cota's stay in Heaton Hospital		164.50
	L. B. Allen, attending Harlan Brown		3.00
9	Melvin Benjamin, wood for Russells		8.50
22	Dept. of Public Welfare, welfare for month of January		27.61
	Lena Winship, Mamie Cota and boy to Feb. 22		35.00
	Eunice Stevens, board Harlan Brown to Feb. 22		50.00
	Marie Pixley, board Erno girl to Feb. 18		16.00
Mar. 7	Brandon State School, clothing for Erno and Picknell children		22.27
18	Eunice Stevens, board of Harlan Brown to March 18		24.00
21	Public Welfare, month of February		25.00
	A. C. Grady, Overseer, Montpelier, Heaton Hospital, Mamie Cota		130.25
23	Marie Pixley, board of Erno girl to March 25		20.00
Apr. 1	G. M. Wilson, burial of Harlan Brown		121.50
5	W. J. Whitcomb, digging grave for Harlan Brown		10.00
12	Mrs. William J. Cameron, Mamie Cota and boy to April 12		80.00

DATE		AMOUNT
May	6 Marie Pixley, board of Erno girl to May 6	24.00
	10 Mrs. William Cameron, board Mamie Cota and boy to May 10	80.00
	20 Public Welfare, March and April	69.25
Jun.	10 Mrs. William Cameron, board Mamie Cota and boy to June 7	80.00
	Eunice Stevens, balance due on Harlan Brown	8.00
	William F. Putnam, M. D., services, Harlan Brown	4.00
	11 Marie Pixley, board of Erno girl to June 11	20.00
	20 Public Welfare, welfare month of May	25.75
Jul.	10 Public Welfare, welfare month June Brandon State School, clothing for Dorothy and Richard Erno	27.64
	Mrs. William Cameron, Mamie Cota and boy to July 10	15.59
	29 Marie Pixley, board of Erno girl to July 29	80.00
		24.00
Aug.	7 Mrs. William Cameron, care of Mamie Cota to Aug. 3	80.00
Sep.	3 Marie Pixley, care of Erno girl to Sept. 3	24.00
	12 Mrs. William Cameron, care of Mamie Cota and boy to Sept. 11	100.00
	19 Public Welfare, Children's Aid for July and August	53.72
Oct.	12 Mrs. William Cameron, care of Mamie Cota and boy to Oct. 8	80.00
	Marie Pixley, board of Erno girl to Oct. 14	24.00
	16 Public Welfare, welfare for September	29.27
Nov.	19 Mrs. William Cameron, care of Mamie Cota, 5 weeks	100.00
	Dept. Public Welfare, welfare month of October	19.36
	26 Marie Pixley, care of Erno girl to Nov. 25	24.00

DATE		AMOUNT
Dec. 6	Mildred Linton, clothing for Don Root	14.96
16	George I. Varney, merchandise for Harlan Brown	5.98
	Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital, care of George Blake	31.75
	Dept. of Public Welfare, welfare for month of November	23.36
	Lena Winship, care of Mamie Cota and boy to Dec. 14	80.00
	L. A. Judd, services and cash paid	33.00
17	H. H. Kendall, to settle Erno account	13.00
23	Marie Pixley, care of Erno girl to Dec. 23	16.00
	Hitchcock Clinic, care of George Blake	8.00
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		\$ 2,050.91

#### Reimbursements to Poor Account

Received from the Truehart family	\$ 16.00
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Net Cost of Poor for Year 1946	\$ 2,034.91

#### POOR DEPARTMENT COMPARISONS

Year ended Dec. 31, 1942	\$ 1,968.83
Year ended Dec. 31, 1943	1,452.56
Year ended Dec. 31, 1944	1,846.59
Year ended Dec. 31, 1945	2,047.06
Year ended Dec. 31, 1946	2,034.91



## TOWN HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Frank Brown, Road Commissioner

### Receipts

Town of Sharon, for road work	\$ 218.70
Taxpayers' 30c on the dollar	1,328.45
Taxpayers' 15c on the dollar	664.23
Delwin I. Preston, work with bulldozer	12.00
Ralph Brown, work with bulldozer	16.00
Received from State of Vermont Highway Account	4,094.21
Reimbursed by Selectmen on bridge work	50.00
Charles Webster, work with bulldozer	112.00
	\$ 6,495.59

### Disbursements

1946			
Apr. 1	Floyd Clogston, turning water	\$ 7.50	
	Russell Pixley, dragging road, self and team	15.00	
	Philip Hoyt, turning water	20.30	
	Alfred Trombly, shoveling gravel, 2 weeks	33.60	
5	James Hayes, labor, 3 weeks	76.00	
	John Druge, repairing road machine and shoveling gravel 3 weeks	81.60	
8	Miller Automobile Co., 2 wheels for tractor	22.06	
15	John Durkee, dragging road, self and team	15.00	
	James Hayes, labor	36.00	
20	Harold Padgett, labor, week ending April 20	27.00	
	Vermont Copper Co., repairs for road machine	4.06	
	John Druge, labor on road, 2 weeks ending April 20	70.40	
	John Druge, labor on road	38.40	
	Philip Hoyt, labor on road	8.40	
	Ralph Stevens, dragging road, self and team	28.75	

DATE		AMOUNT
27	Harold Padgett, labor, week ending April 27	31.00
	James Hayes, labor, week ending April 27	38.40
	Jack Josler, honing road, self and team	13.35
	Frank Brown, 4 weeks ending April 27	84.00
29	Raymond Swift, honing road, self and team	33.00
May 4	F. L. Lewis, man and truck	124.40
	Harold Padgett, labor, week ending May 4	21.75
	Everett Nutting, labor	12.00
9	C. W. Berghorn, gas and oil	39.31
	Philip Hoyt, labor	2.80
11	Harold Padgett, labor	7.50
	James Hayes, labor	31.50
	John Druge, labor	3.20
18	Harold Padgett, labor, week ending May 18	24.00
	Frank Brown, 2 weeks ending May 11	55.50
	James Hayes, labor week ending May 18	29.60
	Ralph Chamberlain, labor	26.00
	Casellini Venable Corp., grader blades	7.78
	Delwin Lewis, labor week ending May 18	18.00
23	Vermont Copper Co., powder, fuse and caps	7.54
24	Ralph Chamberlain, self and boy week ending May 25	36.50
25	John Druge, week ending May 25	20.25
	Harold Padgett, week ending May 25	36.75
	James Hayes, week ending May 25	41.65
	Alfred Trombly, week ending May 25	34.30
	Delwin Lewis, week ending May 25	30.00
	F. L. Lewis, truck two weeks ending May 25	89.60
	Gile Kendall, self, truck and team	118.25
	R. K. Prescott, hauling gravel	205.15
	Frank Brown, 2 weeks ending May 25	84.10

DATE		AMOUNT
29	R. K. Prescott, gas	8.00
Jun. 1	Harold Padgett, labor week June 1	20.25
	James Hayes, labor June 1	22.95
	Alfred Trombly, labor week ending June 1	18.90
	Delwin Lewis, labor week ending June 1	13.50
	Ralph Hanchett, honing road	13.75
3	Philip Hoyt, labor	8.40
6	Clifford Chamberlain, shoveling gravel	18.00
8	John Druge, labor 2 weeks ending June 8	47.25
	James Hayes, labor week ending June 8	45.90
	Harold Padgett, labor week ending June 8	40.50
	Alfred Trombly, labor week ending June 8	37.80
	Denzil Swift, labor 3 weeks	43.75
	Gile Kendall, self and truck, hauling gravel	115.15
	R. K. Prescott, man and truck, hauling gravel	126.90
	F. L. Lewis, truck hauling gravel	86.40
	Delwin Lewis, drawing gravel	40.50
	Frank Brown, 2 weeks ending June 8	76.95
11	Harry Ward, repairing chain	1.50
12	Tracy Garage, one inner tube	3.59
15	Homer Bullard, week ending June 15	12.60
	James Hayes, week of June 15	45.90
	John Druge, week of June 15	40.50
	Harold Padgett, week of June 15	40.50
	Delwin Lewis, week of June 15	23.62
	Gile Kendall, week of June 15	23.62
22	Harold Padgett, week of June 25	33.75
	Delwin Lewis, week of June 22	28.00
	Denzil Swift, 3 weeks	66.50
	Gile Kendall, self and truck	75.60
	James Hayes, week of June 22	39.25
	Frank Brown, 2 weeks ending June 22	97.20

DATE		AMOUNT
	Albert Davis, self, power shovel, 2 trucks, 2 men	233.50
	F. L. Lewis, truck, hauling road machine and gravel	113.50
29	James Hayes, week of June 29	45.90
	Harold Padgett, week of June 29	40.50
	R. K. Prescott, men and truck, hauling gravel	137.55
	F. L. Lewis, truck, hauling gravel	44.40
	Gile Kendall, shoveling gravel	27.90
	Delwin Lewis, labor week of June 29	20.25
	Frank Brown, week of June 29	48.60
	Albert Davis, self, power shovel, 3 trucks, 3 men	90.30
Jul. 3	Harold Padgett, week of July 6	20.25
6	James Hayes, week of July 6	32.50
	Gardner Moses, labor	3.75
	L. H. Paine Co., shovels	11.75
	C. W. Berghorn, gas and oil	42.56
13	James Hayes, week of July 13	24.92
	Miller Automobile Co., repairs for tractor	10.12
20	James Hayes, week of July 20	11.05
27	Delwin Lewis, week of July 27	24.00
28	Denzil Swift, 2 weeks to July 27	37.80
31	Denzil Swift, labor	12.60
	S. C. Dickinson, hauling gravel	99.66
	Edwin Clark, hauling gravel	96.52
	H. W. Salter, hauling gravel	98.70
	W. J. Swift, hauling gravel	54.82
	Carl Downing, hauling gravel	64.32
	Gile Kendall, hauling gravel	102.50
	F. L. Lewis, truck, hauling gravel	89.70
	Delwin Lewis, driving truck	11.15
	James Hayes, 2 weeks	45.90
	Frank Brown, 4 weeks	92.00
	Albert Davis, self, power shovel and truck	220.37
Aug. 7	Raymond Swift, self and team	25.72
13	W. G. Norton, labor	4.13
15	G. L. Pixley, labor	3.38
	Green Mt. Concrete Pipe Co., culverts	39.06

DATE		AMOUNT
	17 James Hayes, 2 weeks	41.97
	Delwin Lewis, labor	20.50
	24 Delwin Lewis, labor	17.25
	F. L. Lewis, truck honing and hauling gravel	85.00
	Frank Brown, 3 weeks	92.00
	26 Delwin Lewis, labor	6.75
Sep.	8 Hathorn's, Inc., repairs for tractor	12.48
	28 James Hayes, labor	24.00
	B. H. Jordan, labor	13.50
	John Gibson, 888 yards gravel	88.80
Oct.	5 James Hayes, labor	40.00
	B. H. Jordan, labor	23.62
	Vernon Clogston, labor 2 weeks	33.75
	10 Gile Kendall, self and team	108.00
	12 Vernon Clogston, labor	6.75
	19 R. K. Prescott, truck honing road and hauling gravel	104.60
Nov.	1 Hathorn's, Inc., blade for bulldozer	10.15
	Casellini Venable Corp., steel cable	4.19
	2 Delwin Lewis, hauling gravel	22.50
	7 Morris Dezan, labor	10.50
	Ralph Stevens, labor	10.80
	Annis Manning, labor	9.75
	9 John Durkee, hauling gravel	30.00
	23 James Hayes, labor	32.00
	30 Ralph Stevens, labor, self and team	12.00
	C. W. Berghorn, gas and oil	45.52
	Albert Davis, loading 72 yds. gravel	14.40
Dec.	7 Gile Kendall, self and truck	33.00
	H. H. Kendall, labor	20.25
	13 Frank Brown, 11 weeks	168.00
	30 Green Mountain Culvert Co., culverts	16.20
	James Hayes, labor, weeks Nov. 16 and Dec. 6	49.45
	31 George I. Varney, gas, oil and tools	100.00
Total Orders Paid		<hr/> \$ 6,497.57
Total of Orders Drawn and Paid		\$ 6,497.57
Funds Available for this Account		6,495.59
Overdraft		<hr/> \$ 1.98



## PERMANENT HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Frank Brown, Commissioner

### Receipts

Don Orr, rebate on Order No. 86, Special Highway	\$ 20.30
U. S. Treasury, income on Morrill bonds	82.50
Taxpayers, 50c on Grand List	2,214.09
State Treasurer:	
Resurfacing	354.87
Surface Retreatment	2,514.51
State Aid, Resurfacing Highway	4,786.42
	\$ 9,972.69

### Disbursements

1946		
Apr. 23	Treasurer, State of Vermont, State Aid patrol	\$ 811.75
Jul. 20	Harold Padgett, week of July 20	41.25
27	Harold Padgett, week of July 27	27.00
31	The Barrett Division, tarvia	1,802.98
Aug. 3	Harold Padgett, labor	17.25
	Delwin Lewis, driving truck	13.50
6	S. C. Dickinson, hauling gravel	64.32
	H. W. Salter, hauling gravel	41.82
	Edwin Clark, hauling gravel	61.14
	William Smith, hauling gravel	41.82
	Carl Downing, hauling gravel	41.82
	Lewis Orticari, hauling gravel	22.50
7	Denzil Swift, labor	25.20
	Albert Davis, self, power shovel and trucks	164.16
10	Harold Padgett, labor	9.00
	F. L. Lewis, truck, hauling gravel	65.30
	Delwin Lewis, driving truck	13.50
	Gile Kendall, hauling gravel	45.04
17	Harold Padgett, labor	21.75
	John Gibson, 480 yds. gravel	48.00
24	Harold Padgett, labor	43.50
	James Hayes, labor	45.50

DATE		AMOUNT
	30 Harold Padgett, labor	32.25
Sep.	2 James Hayes, labor	51.00
	7 C. W. Berghorn, gas and oil	25.03
	Harold Padgett, labor	33.75
	Denzil Swift, labor, 2 weeks	42.70
	James Hayes, labor	40.00
	12 James Hayes, labor	48.00
	13 Harold Padgett, labor	22.50
	14 James Hayes, labor	37.00
	George Cole, labor	54.00
	Frank Brown, 3 weeks	129.60
	George Benjamin, labor and material for bulldozer	80.00
	New England Culvert Co., culverts	585.20
	21 James Hayes, labor	16.00
	Richard Root, labor	20.25
	23 Treasurer, State of Vermont, labor on retreatment	1,968.78
	26 John Druge, labor on bulldozer	18.00
	John Druge, iron and other material for bulldozer	16.00
	28 Frank Brown, 2 weeks	64.80
Oct.	5 C. W. Berghorn, gas and oil	32.91
	12 George Cole, labor, 2 weeks	27.00
	Green Mountain Concrete Pipe Co., culverts	31.75
	14 John Druge, labor, 3 weeks	64.80
	18 Gile Kendall, self and truck	108.00
	19 Charles Vance, hauling gravel	90.00
	Vernon Clogston, labor	27.00
	Alfred Trombly, labor, 2 weeks	27.00
	H. H. Kendall, 2 weeks	40.50
	R. K. Prescott, hauling gravel	132.45
	B. H. Jordan	20.25
	James Hayes, labor	48.00
	26 Robert Wright, labor	33.75
	Charles Vance, hauling gravel	112.50
	Alfred Trombly, labor	33.75
	James Hayes, labor	40.00
	Vernon Clogston, labor	33.75
	B. H. Jordan, labor	33.75
	George Cole, labor, 2 weeks	60.75

DATE		AMOUNT
	Gile Kendall, hauling gravel	79.00
	Construction Equipment Co., bolts	4.80
	Wells Porter, 711 yds. gravel	35.55
	H. H. Kendall, labor	33.75
	E. Shapiro, steel beam material for bulldozer	35.00
Nov. 2	Alfred Trombly, labor	23.25
	B. H. Jordan, labor	23.25
	H. H. Kendall, labor	40.50
	Robert Wright, labor	32.00
	James Hayes, labor	44.00
	Gile Kendall	61.20
	Charles Vance, hauling gravel	122.50
	R. K. Prescott, hauling gravel	178.20
	Vernon Clogston	40.50
9	Harold Heaton, 1,340 yds. gravel	134.00
	Lewis Nye, labor	45.50
	Fred Wright, labor	25.20
	Ernest Prescott, labor	25.20
	B. H. Jordan, labor	27.00
	Charles Vance, hauling gravel	90.00
	Gile Kendall, hauling gravel	64.80
	Robert Wright, labor	20.25
	Vernon Clogston, labor	27.00
	James Hayes, labor	36.00
	Don Orr, 2 men and 2 trucks, hauling gravel	202.50
	H. H. Kendall, labor	29.00
	C. W. Berghorn, gas and oil	34.92
	George Cole, labor	13.50
16	R. K. Prescott, hauling gravel	68.40
	Harold Heaton, gravel	7.00
Dec. 13	Frank Brown, 11 weeks	185.00
16	Vermont Copper Co., 1 box welding rods	3.05
31	G. I. Varney, gas and oil	100.00
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		\$ 9,642.69
Unexpended Balance		330.00
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		\$ 9,972.69

## Permanent Highway Account Outstanding Order

Aug. 7 No. 14, N. H. Pettingill, hauling gravel \$ 41.82

## WINTER ROAD ACCOUNT

Delwin L. Lewis, Road Commissioner

(All orders charged to General Account)

1946			
Nov.	30	Elmer Gomo, shoveling sand and erecting snow fence	\$ 33.75
		Alfred Trombly, shoveling sand	20.25
		Gile Kendall, truck and driver hauling sand	67.50
		Homer Kendall, shoveling sand	20.25
		R. K. Prescott, truck, hauling sand	48.60
		Vernon Clogston, driving truck, hauling sand	20.25
		F. L. Lewis, truck, hauling sand	66.60
		Delwin L. Lewis, foreman, 2 weeks	53.55
		James Hayes, labor	4.25
Dec.	6	Alfred Trombly, labor	6.75
	7	Homer Kendall, labor, 1 week	13.50
		Vernon Clogston, labor, 1 week	12.00
		Elmer Gomo, labor, 1 week	20.25
		Gile Kendall, truck	45.00
		R. K. Prescott, truck	28.80
		F. L. Lewis, truck	32.40
		Harold Heaton, sand	24.60
		Delwin L. Lewis, foreman, 1 week	25.50
	14	Elmer Gomo, labor	6.75
		Delwin L. Lewis, labor	28.90
	21	Delwin L. Lewis, labor	26.35
		Elmer Gomo, labor	20.25
	30	Harrie Robinson, labor	37.40
		James Hayes, labor	85.85
		Delwin L. Lewis, labor	108.80
		Elmer Gomo, labor	66.30
		Gile Kendall, labor	31.45
			\$ 955.85

## LIBRARY ACCOUNT

### Selectmen, Trustees

#### Receipts

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1946	\$	1.25
Town of Strafford, interest on \$6,150.00 at 3%		184.50
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	\$	185.75

#### Disbursements

1946		
Jan. 14	Reader's Digest magazine, 2 years	\$ 5.00
	Bennington Historical Museum and Art Gallery, 2 books	2.40
17	The Open Road for Boys magazine, 3 years	4.00
14	D. C. Heath & Co., books	3.32
Apr. 1	Olive M. Lewis, librarian, 3 months	25.00
May 23	Womrath Bookshops and Libraries	2.25
	The Vermonter magazine, 1 year	2.00
27	The Personal Bookshop, Inc., books	35.59
31	American Girl magazine, 2 years	3.00
	Open Road for Boys magazine, 3 years	4.00
Jun. 25	Robert V. Fleming, National Geographic Magazine, 1 year	4.00
Jul. 1	Olive M. Lewis, librarian, 3 months	25.00
Aug. 24	Jack and Jill magazine, 1 year	4.00
	The Personal Bookshop, Inc., books	2.67
	The H. R. Huntting Co., books	6.54
Sep. 28	Seventeen magazine, 3 years	5.00
Oct. 2	Olive M. Lewis, librarian, 3 months	25.00
Dec. 31	Olive M. Lewis, librarian, 3 months	25.00
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		\$ 183.77
	Unexpended Balance	1.98
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		\$ 185.75



## TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC FUNDS

### Newton Fund

#### Receipts

1946				
Jan.	1	Bank books balance	\$	653.39
		Cash on hand		80.00
	2	U. S. Treasury Dept.		37.50
May	28	Interest on bonds		91.00
		Interest from Inter-State Trust Co.		5.87
Jun.	21	U. S. Treasury Dept.		62.50
Jul.	1	U. S. Treasury Dept.		37.50
Dec.	2	U. S. Treasury Dept.		62.50
	26	Town of Strafford, interest on order		80.00
	30	Interest on bonds		91.00
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				\$ 1,201.26

#### Disbursements

1946				
Sep.	17	First National Bank, Safe Deposit box	\$	3.60
Dec.	30	Robert H. Ordway, Treasurer, care of Newton Lot		10.00
		William B. Mobus, services and expense		15.00
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		Total Disbursements	\$	28.60
31		Balance, First National Bank	\$	907.13
		Balance Inter-State Trust Co.		265.53
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				\$ 1,201.26

#### Investments, Dec. 31, 1946

U. S. Government Bonds, 2.5%	\$ 8,000.00
Scarsdale, N. Y., School Dist., 4.5% bonds, due 1969	2,000.00

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC FUNDS — (Continued)

Freeport, N. Y., Waterworks, 4.6% bond, due	
1947	2,000.00
Town of Strafford, 4%	2,000.00
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	\$ 14,000.00

WM. B. MOBUS,  
ROSA B. TYSON,  
HOWARD B. VARNEY,  
Trustees.

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DOG ACCOUNT

Remember to license your dog <i>on or before</i> April 1st	
20 dogs — 2 kennel licenses	\$ 60.00
8 dogs at \$6.00	48.00
4 dogs at 3.00	12.00
88 dogs at 2.00	176.00
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Amount Received	\$ 296.00
120 Fees at 15c Paid	18.00
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Credited to General Account	\$ 278.00

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH M. F. CHANDLER,  
Town Clerk.

# LIST OF UNPAID TAXES, JANUARY 1, 1947

8% to be added as costs for collection

1932		
Preston, W. F. & Minnie	\$ 4.98	\$ 4.98
1933		
Preston, W. F. & Minnie	\$ 13.36	
Preston, Minnie	7.02	20.38
1934		
Preston, W. F. & Minnie	\$ 14.56	
Preston, Minnie	5.35	19.91
1935		
Preston, W. F. & Minnie	\$ 13.85	
Preston, Minnie	14.38	28.23
1936		
Lane, George F.	\$ 18.82	
Preston, W. F. & Minnie	16.44	
Preston, W. F.	5.75	41.01
1937		
Perkins, Clarence E.	\$ 2.65	
Perkins, Ethelyn	6.45	
Preston, Minnie	1.64	10.74
1938		
Hanchett, Ralph J.	\$ 24.34	
Preston, Minnie	7.11	
Preston, W. F.	6.52	37.97
1939		
Jewett, Vernon	\$ 2.51	2.51
1940		
Butler, B. J.	\$ 4.30	
Donahue, Peter & Delia	35.80	
Pixley, Alice	3.12	
Preston, Minnie	2.77	

# LIST OF UNPAID TAXES — (Continued)

Richmond, Fred	12.83	
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1941		
Butler, B. J.	\$ 20.00	
Donahue, Peter & Delia	44.34	
Pixley, Alice	6.75	
Preston, Minnie	6.75	
Preston, W. F.	6.75	
Richmond, F. L. & Doris	20.79	
	<hr/>	105.38
1942		
Butler, B. J.	\$ 6.65	
Donahue, Peter & Delia	51.78	
Hoyt, Philip H.	31.88	
Jewett, Vernon	4.15	
Preston, Minnie	6.65	
Preston, W. F.	6.65	
Rhodes, George W.	20.56	
	<hr/>	128.32
1943		
Donahue, Peter & Delia	\$ 55.35	
Hoyt, Philip H.	94.85	
Preston, Minnie & Carl	19.53	
Richmond, F. L. & Doris	21.12	
Ward, Harry H. & Mary	46.57	
	<hr/>	237.42
1944		
Donahue, Peter & Delia	\$ 66.12	
Hoyt, Philip H.	83.90	
Jewett, Vernon	6.85	
Lewis, Robert C.	6.50	
Moses, Gardner N.	12.66	
Paye, T. & M. H.	5.43	
Perkins, Ethelyn	6.85	
Ward, Harry H. & Mary	83.04	
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1945		
Hoyt, Philip H.	\$ 94.85	
Manning, Alford	14.90	
Manning, Alice G.	7.05	
May, Fred H.	17.00	

# LIST OF UNPAID TAXES — (Continued)

Moses, Gardner N.	14.66	
Perkins, C. E. & Ethelyn	5.68	
Simcox, William, Est.	9.05	
Ward, Harry H. & Mary	87.13	
Whitcomb, Ronald	7.05	
Wilcox, Roy M.	11.25	
		268.62
1946		
Barker, H. A. & M. E., Est.	\$ 7.03	
Benjamin, George C. & A. R.	18.65	
Bonner, Catherine	7.20	
Donahue, Delia	7.20	
Donahue, Peter	7.20	
DuBois, Mrs. Clara J.	1.21	
Durkee, Mrs. Clara M.	21.21	
Jewett, Vernon	16.56	
LaPorte, Alfred	7.20	
LaPorte, Leona	7.20	
Lewis, Robert C.	7.03	
Manning, Alford	17.48	
Manning, Alice G.	7.20	
May, Fred H.	9.46	
Messier, J. J. & Cassie	18.65	
Moore, Wescott	7.20	
Moses, Gardner N.	49.47	
Moses, Jessie	7.20	
Perkins, C. E. & Ethelyn	5.86	
Perkins, Flossie	7.20	
Perkins, Howard	16.55	
Perkins, Marguerite	7.20	
Perkins, Roy	9.11	
Pixley, Grover	14.70	
Stone, Ernest	7.20	
Stone, Helen M.	7.20	
Storey, Virgin G.	7.20	
Sweet, Evarts	7.03	
		313.60
GRAND TOTAL		\$ 1,549.24



## VERMONT OLD AGE ASSISTANCE DEPARTMENT

120 State Street

MONTPELIER, VERMONT

For the information of your taxpayers the customary annual statement is presented for your Town Report.

**Payments of Old Age Assistance to persons applying from your town amounted to \$2,596.50 during the year January 1, 1946, to December 31, 1946.**

**Payments for funeral expenses, \$217.50.**

**The number of recipients in December, 1946, was 9; monthly payment, 235.50.**

The maximum payment which can be made by this department is \$40.00 per month. In October, 1946, we were able to make payments above \$30.00 for the first time. This was due to an appropriation of \$50,000 by the special session of the legislature and a temporary change in the basis of federal matching. Congress authorized the Social Security Administration until December, 1947, to reimburse the States \$10.00 for the first \$15.00 paid. For the balance of the payment the old fifty-fifty matching basis is still in effect.

Many increases were made to meet cost of living budgets. Grants are practically up to date on current investigated applications. Intake has increased and is now on a prewar basis of about 100 applications per month.

Average Grant, December, 1945 ..... \$23.38

Average Grant, December, 1946 ..... 29.14

This department has always received a high degree of cooperation from local officials and interested individuals. On behalf of the agency I extend thanks.

Very sincerely yours,

W. L. SEWARD,

Director.

## TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT REPORT

### TREASURER'S REPORT

Elizabeth M. F. Chandler, Treasurer

#### Receipts

1946			
Jan.	1	Unexpended balance	\$13,349.14
Apr.	1	W. G. & Maude E. Norton, loan at 4%	1,500.00
May	9	J. Guy Huntley, for Clough school-house	76.00
	11	Edward D. Churchill, for Norton Hill school house	115.00
Jun.	21	Milo L. Sleeper, Agent, dividend on fire insurance on Clough and Norton Hill school houses	1.28
Aug.	16	R. E. & A. C. Robinson, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	1,000.00
		H. N. Mattison, Trustee, David Poor Fund, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	800.00
		A. J. & G. E. Colby, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	1,000.00
		Robert H. Ordway, Trustee, Universalist Church Society, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	1,000.00
		A. L. & M. R. Sargent, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	1,000.00
Sep.	16	W. G. & Maude E. Norton, loan at 3%	1,000.00
	23	H. N. Mattison, one length chimney tile	1.00
	25	L. R. Kelly, State Treasurer, state aid to schools	4,006.12
Oct.	18	A. J. Colby, Agent, insurance refund on Pond school	1.00

DATE		AMOUNT
Nov. 1	J. Guy & Grace B. Huntley, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	1,000.00
Dec. 3	Tax Payers, Poll, Real Estate and Personal Property Taxes	8,856.36
10	Frank T. & M. B. Coburn, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	1,000.00
5	Tax Payers, Lease Land rent	69.22
11	Howard W. Harrington, for sheet rock	50.00
	H. H. & Clio H. Kendall, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	1,000.00
	W. F. & Clara C. Campbell, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	1,000.00
12	I. O. & Gladys B. Pixley, loan at 3%, South Strafford School Building Account	1,200.00
13	Howard Harrington, for sheet rock	6.00
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		\$ 39,031.12

### Disbursements

School Directors' Account	\$33,845.26
Unexpended balance, Jan. 1, 1947	5,185.86
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\$ 39,031.12	

### Interest Bearing Orders Outstanding at 3%

(For South Strafford School Building)

1946		
Aug. 16	H. N. Mattison, Trustee, David Poor Fund	\$ 800.00
	A. L. & M. R. Sargent, Order No. 77	1,000.00
	Robert H. Ordway, Trustee, Universalist Church Society, Order No. 78	1,000.00
	A. J. & G. E. Colby, Order No. 79	1,000.00

DATE		AMOUNT
	R. E. & A. C. Robinson, Order No. 80	1,000.00
Nov. 1	J. Guy & Grace B. Huntley, Order No. 300	1,000.00
Dec. 16	Frank T. & M. B. Coburn, Order No. 398	1,000.00
	Homer H. & Clio H. Kendall, Order No. 399	1,000.00
	W. F. & Clara C. Campbell, Order No. 400	1,000.00
	I. O. & Gladys B. Pixley, Order No. 401	1,200.00
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		\$ 10,000.00

### REPORT OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

1946		
Jan. 10	138	Gertie W. Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks \$ 57.14
	139	Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks 57.14
	140	Marjorie Judd, teaching 1 week 28.57
	141	Helen Stone, teaching 1 week 30.00
	142	Dora Brown, teaching 1 week 30.00
	143	Martin Hatch, teaching 1 week 28.57
	144	John Doyle, janitor, 2 weeks 17.00
	145	Fred Hazelton, janitor, 2 weeks 10.00
	146	Wilma Hanchett, janitor, 1 week 2.00
18	147	Dartmouth Printing Co. 5.00
19	148	White River Paper Co. 6.12
23	149	J. L. Hammett Co. 4.26
	150	The Macmillan Co. 4.47
24	151	J. L. Hammett Co. 1.25
	152	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks 60.00
	153	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks 60.00
	154	Gertie W. Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks 57.14
	155	Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks 57.14
	156	Marjorie Judd, teaching 2 weeks 57.14
	157	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks 57.14
	158	John Doyle, janitor, 2 weeks 17.00
	159	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks 10.00
	160	Wilma Hanchett, janitor 2 weeks 4.00

DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	161	The L. W. Singer Co., text books	35.06
Feb.	2 162	Charles Scribner's Sons, text books	135.53
	163	Ginn & Co., text books	17.35
	164	Benj. H. Sanborn, text books	55.07
	165	Houghton Mifflin, text books	108.10
	166	The Shepard Co., supplies	2.94
	167	A. C. Parker, Supt. of Schools	42.16
	168	Delwin Lewis, new building	120.00
	7 169	Town of Royalton, tuition	37.50
	170	Lyndon Institute, tuition	50.00
	171	Thetford Academy, tuition	550.00
	172	Marjorie Judd, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	173	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	174	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	175	Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	176	Gertie Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	177	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	178	John Doyle, janitor 2 weeks	17.00
	179	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
	180	Wilma Hanchett, janitor 2 weeks	4.00
	11 181	Delwin Lewis, cutting lumber	90.00
	182	John Drysdale, cards	1.70
	13 183	Watson Kendall, 12 cords wood	120.00
	15 184	Scott Foresman, new building	80.18
	185	John Doyle, janitor 1 week	8.50
	21 186	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	187	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	188	Marjorie Judd, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	189	Gertie Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	190	Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	191	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	192	John Doyle, janitor 2 weeks	8.50
	193	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
	194	Wilma Hanchett, janitor, 2 weeks	4.00
	195	World Book Co.	7.94
	25 196	A. C. Parker, Supt.	42.16
	197	Harold Fulton, slate	8.58
	27 198	Town of Sharon, transportation	30.00
Mar.	2 199	John Doyle, janitor	10.00



DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	4	200 R. K. Prescott, trucking	5.00
	6	201 A. L. Sargent, wood	15.00
		202 Marline Ruddy, transportation	5.00
		203 Anna Robinson, transportation	10.00
		204 L. A. Judd, transportation	5.00
		205 Mr. Boothroyd, transportation	7.00
		206 Geo. K. Brown, transportation	4.14
		207 Roy Perkins, transportation	6.13
		208 Eva Perkins, transportation	4.57
		209 Carrol Coburn, transportation	4.14
		210 Alford Manning, transportation	14.00
		211 Alford Manning, to apply on tax	4.67
	7	212 Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
		213 Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
		214 Marjorie Judd, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
		215 Gertie Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
		216 Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
		217 Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
		218 John Doyle, janitor 1 week	8.50
		219 Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
		220 Wilma Hanchett, janitor 2 weeks	4.00
		221 Will Whitcomb, labor	.75
	14	222 C. R. Perkins, trucking	48.00
		223 John Doyle, janitor 1 week	8.50
	18	224 Delwin Lewis, cutting lumber	105.00
	20	225 Howard Perkins, transportation	6.00
		226 Norman Rhodes, transportation	5.00
	22	227 John Doyle, janitor 1 week	8.50
	25	228 J. L. Hammett, supplies	1.75
		229 William M. MacDonald	4.00
	29	230 Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
		231 Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
		232 Marjorie Judd, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
		233 Gertie Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
		234 Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
		235 Martin Hatch, teaching 1 week	28.57
		236 John Doyle, janitor, 1 week	8.50
		237 Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
		238 Wilma Hanchett, janitor 1 week	2.00
Apr.	1	239 W. G. & Maude Norton, loan	1,500.00

DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	3 240	Ralph Perkins, sawing lumber	148.81
	241	A. C. Parker, Supt.	42.16
	6 242	John Doyle, janitor, 1 week	8.50
	9 243	G. M. Moses, transporation	7.50
	244	G. M. Moses, on tax	2.50
	12 245	Doris Blodgett, teaching	54.00
	246	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	247	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	248	Gertie Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	249	Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	250	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	251	John Doyle, janitor, 1 week	8.50
	252	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
	253	Wilma Hanchett, janitor 2 weeks	4.00
	254	J. L. Hammett, supplies	3.62
	16 255	R. K. Prescott, trucking	348.00
	20 256	Thomas Jones, sawing	3.00
	257	John Doyle, janitor	10.10
	258	A. C. Parker, Supt.	42.16
	259	F. L. Lewis, tuition	25.00
	26 260	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	261	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	262	Doris Blodgett, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	263	Gertie Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	264	Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	265	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	266	John Doyle, janitor 1 week	8.50
	267	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
	268	Wilma Hanchett, janitor 2 weeks	4.00
May	4 269	John Doyle, janitor 1 week	8.50
	270	Lyndon Institute, tuition	40.00
	271	White River Paper Co., supplies	10.93
	272	E. A. Fifield	3.00
	9 273	Thetford Academy, tuition	537.50
	274	World Book Co.	10.20
	275	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	276	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	277	Doris Blodgett, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	278	Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks	57.14

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	279	Gertie Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	280	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	281	John Doyle, janitor 1 week	8.50
10	282	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
	283	Wilma Hanchett, janitor 2 weeks	4.00
	284	Thomas Jones, on wood	3.00
	285	Milo Sleeper, insurance	14.08
13	286	C. R. Perkins, trucking	41.11
	287	Town Treasurer, making deed	2.00
	288	N. P. Clough, lumber and supplies	240.00
17	289	Ralph Perkins, sawing lumber	119.27
	290	John Doyle, janitor 1 week	11.80
20	291	Delwin Lewis, cutting lumber	19.16
22	292	N. P. Clough, new building supplies	266.00
	293	William Noyes	5.00
	294	American Fidelity, insurance	155.42
24	295	A. H. Magalsky, repairs	1.30
	296	Helen Stone, teaching, 2 weeks	60.00
	297	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	298	Doris Blodgett, teaching 2 weeks	60.00
	299	Kathleen Little, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	300	Gertie Dearborn, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	301	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	57.14
	302	Town of Sharon, transportation	27.50
	303	Town of Sharon, tuition	70.00
	304	Marlene Ruddy, transportation	5.00
	305	Anna Robinson, transportation	10.00
	306	L. A. Judd, transportation	5.00
	307	Mr. Boothroyd, transportation	9.47
	308	Geo. K. Brown, transportation	5.00
	309	Howard Perkins, transportation	3.85
	310	Eva Perkins, transportation	5.00
	311	Carrol Coburn, transportation	5.00
	312	Roy Perkins, transportation	3.85
	313	G. M. Moses, transportation	3.75
	314	G. M. Moses, tax	1.25
	315	Frank Coburn, carpenter	40.00
	316	W. F. Campbell, carpenter	40.00
	317	John Doyle, laborer	4.79

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	318	John Doyle, janitor	8.50
	319	Fred Hazelton, janitor	10.00
	320	Wilma Hanchett, janitor	4.00
27	321	Kathleen Little	1.27
	322	City of Barre, tuition	37.50
31	323	Martin Hatch, teaching 1 week	28.57
	324	Martin Hatch, supplies	9.43
	325	Wilma Hanchett, janitor	2.00
Jun. 1	326	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	327	E. Olson, carpenter	40.00
	328	W. F. Campbell, carpenter	25.00
	329	John Doyle, laborer	18.00
5	330	Town of Royalton, tuition	37.50
	331	Bradford Academy, tuition	50.00
	332	F. L. Lewis, tuition	50.00
	333	C. W. Berghorn, supplies	6.38
	334	The Macmillan Co., text books	83.88
	335	Ginn & Co., text books	12.75
	336	Scott Foresman, text books	3.76
7	337	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	338	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	339	Elmer Gomo, laborer	7.00
	340	John Doyle, laborer	31.50
	341	Arthur Ralston, laborer	21.00
	342	Walter Mousley, laborer	8.00
	343	Curtis Preston, laborer	16.00
	344	Curtis Preston, laborer	8.63
	345	W. F. Campbell, laborer	36.25
	346	W. G. Norton	2.50
10	347	A. C. Parker, Supt.	42.10
11	348	George Bassingthwaighte	2.00
12	349	Alford Manning, transportation	14.12
	350	Alford Manning, tax	4.70
14	351	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	352	Edward Olson, carpenter	50.00
	353	W. F. Campbell, carpenter	50.00
	354	John Doyle, laborer	35.00
	355	Curtis Preston, laborer	8.00
	356	Walter Mousley, laborer	8.00
	357	A. L. Trombly, laborer	14.00
17	358	School District, Hanover, tuition	150.00
18	359	J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	1.35



DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	360	N. P. Clough Co., new building	348.47
21	361	L. E. Sabin, laborer	30.00
	362	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	363	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	364	John Doyle, laborer	35.00
	365	C. A. Preston, laborer	8.00
	366	Walter Mousley, laborer	8.00
	367	A. L. Trombly, laborer	35.00
	368	H. H. Kendall, laborer	7.00
	369	W. F. Campbell, laborer	40.00
	370	John Kennedy, laborer	28.00
	371	C. A. Preston, laborer	10.50
	372	Frank Miner, laborer	4.50
28	373	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	52.82
	374	E. Olson, carpenter	52.82
	375	L. E. Sabin, laborer	31.69
	376	John Doyle, laborer	36.97
	377	A. L. Trombly, laborer	36.97
	378	John Kennedy, laborer	36.97
	379	W. F. Campbell, plumber	52.82
	380	C. A. Preston, laborer	34.25
	381	Walter Mousley, laborer	10.25
	382	H. H. Kendall, laborer	15.96
	383	C. A. Preston, laborer	9.00
29	384	Town of Tunbridge, tuition	43.75
30	385	A. C. Parker, Supt.	42.16
	386	W. F. Campbell, services	10.00
	387	Geo. K. Brown, services	10.00
	388	W. G. Norton, services	10.00
Jul.	5	1 F. T. Coburn, carpenter	40.00
		2 E. Olsen, carpenter	50.00
		3 L. E. Sabin, laborer	30.00
		4 John Doyle, laborer	35.00
		5 A. C. Trombly, laborer	35.00
		6 John Kennedy, laborer	35.00
		7 W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
		8 C. A. Preston, laborer	36.50
		9 C. W. Berghorn, supplies	15.03
	12	10 F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
		11 E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
		12 L. E. Sabin, laborer	30.00
		13 John Doyle, laborer	35.00



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	14	A. C. Trombly, laborer	21.00
	15	John Kennedy, laborer	28.00
	16	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
	17	C. A. Preston, laborer	40.00
15	18	A. H. Magalsky	4.90
	19	R. K. Prescott, cement	552.30
	20	Ralph Perkins, sawing	113.48
	21	St. Johnsbury Trucking Co.	58.15
19	22	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	23	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	24	L. E. Sabin, laborer	24.00
	25	John Doyle, laborer	37.18
	26	A. C. Trombly, laborer	35.00
	27	John Kennedy, laborer	21.00
	28	C. A. Preston, laborer	40.00
	29	W. F. Campbell	53.75
30	30	C. A. Preston	6.75
20	31	Martin & Murray Co., text books	15.00
	32	Houghton & Mifflin Co., text books	1.71
	33	N. P. Clough	56.95
26	34	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	35	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	36	L. E. Sabin, laborer	30.00
	37	John Doyle, laborer	35.00
	38	Alfred Trombley, laborer	42.00
	39	John Kennedy, laborer	28.00
	40	C. A. Preston, laborer	38.00
	41	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
	42	C. A. Preston, mixer	8.25
	43	Pierson Smith, laborer	14.00
31	44	A. C. Parker, Supt.	45.10
Aug. 2	45	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	45.63
	46	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	47	L. E. Sabin, laborer	30.00
	48	John Doyle, laborer	35.00
	49	Alfred Trombly, laborer	28.00
	50	John Kennedy, laborer	28.00
	51	C. A. Preston, laborer	34.50
	52	W. F. Campbell, plumber	52.50
	53	Pierson Smith, laborer	35.00
	54	C. A. Preston, mixer	7.50

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	55	N. P. Clough, supplies	988.15
6	56	The Grolier Society, Inc., text books	102.06
	57	A. J. Colby	1.30
	58	The National Survey, books	5.50
	59	C. W. Berghorn	7.53
8	60	Robert Mitiguy	.90
	61	St. Johnsbury Trucking Co.	.72
	62	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	63	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	64	L. S. Sabin, laborer	30.00
	65	John Doyle, laborer	35.00
	66	Alfred Trombly, laborer	35.00
	67	John Kennedy, laborer	31.94
	68	C. A. Preston, laborer	60.00
	69	Pierson Smith, laborer	14.00
	70	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
	71	John Druge, laborer	50.00
	72	C. A. Preston, laborer	7.12
	73	The Shepard Co.	132.00
10	74	The Shepard Co.	30.26
	75	L. H. Paine, supplies	.88
16	76	H. N. Mattison, loan, new building	800.00
	77	A. L. & M. R. Sargent, loan, new building	1,000.00
	78	Robert H. Ordway, loan, new building	1,000.00
	79	A. J. & G. E. Colby, loan, new building	1,000.00
	80	R. E. & A. C. Robinson, loan, new building	1,000.00
	81	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	82	E. Olson, carpenter,	50.00
	83	L. E. Sabin, laborer	30.00
	84	John Doyle, laborer	35.00
	85	John Kennedy, laborer	20.13
	86	Alfred Trombly, laborer	35.00
	87	A. C. Preston, laborer	12.00
	88	John Druge, laborer	38.75
	89	W. F. Campbell, laborer	46.25
	90	C. A. Preston, laborer	6.38

DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	21	91 Scott Foresman Co., books	30.07
	22	92 F. T. Coburn, carpenter	20.00
		93 E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
		94 L. E. Sabin, laborer	24.00
		95 John Doyle, laborer	42.00
		96 John Kennedy, laborer	35.00
		97 Alfred Trombly, laborer	35.00
		98 C. A. Preston, laborer	48.00
		99 John Druge, laborer	15.00
		100 W. F. Campbell, plumber	60.00
		101 R. H. Chamberlin, laborer	11.50
		102 C. A. Preston, laborer	8.25
		103 John Druge, laborer	26.30
		104 W. F. Campbell, laborer	6.87
	26	105 H. N. Mattison, insurance	6.05
		106 N. P. Clough, supplies	623.25
		107 The Shepard Co.	216.76
		108 A. J. Colby, insurance	13.50
	29	109 Mrs. Hosmer	9.00
		110 F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
		111 E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
		112 L. E. Sabin, laborer	30.00
		113 John Doyle, laborer	28.00
		114 John Kennedy, laborer	28.00
		115 Alfred Trombly, laborer	35.00
		116 C. A. Preston, laborer	44.50
		117 R. H. Chamberlin, laborer	48.00
		118 W. F. Campbell, plumber	60.00
		119 John Druge, laborer	16.25
		120 John Druge, laborer	6.00
		121 Duane Avery, laborer	19.20
		122 Walter Mousley, laborer	32.00
		123 C. A. Preston, laborer	12.38
		124 F. T. Coburn, nails	3.10
		125 The Macmillan Co., books	55.15
	31	126 Hall Brothers, masons	25.00
		127 The Macmillan Co., text books	9.27
		128 The Shepard Co., supplies	227.73
		129 J. L. Hammett	100.79
Sep.	2	130 Ralph Perkins	77.57
	5	131 The Shepard Co.	369.62
	6	132 C. W. Berghorn	25.40

DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	133	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	55.00
	134	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	135	L. E. Sabin, laborer	42.00
	136	John Doyle, laborer	28.00
	137	Alfred Trombly, laborer	42.00
	138	C. A. Preston, laborer	53.50
	139	R. H. Chamberlin, laborer	44.50
	140	W. F. Campbell, plumber	53.75
	141	Walter Mousley, laborer	36.50
	142	Duane Avery, laborer	9.60
	143	Bert Jordan, laborer	42.00
	144	Frank Miner, laborer	24.00
	145	C. A. Preston, laborer	12.38
9	146	Geo. Bassingthwaighte, electrician	639.46
	147	Mrs. James Doyle, cleaning	10.10
	148	Edward H. Peet, Sec., insurance	34.00
	149	A. C. Parker, Supt.	45.10
	150	W. G. Norton, labor	103.00
11	151	Martin Hatch, teaching and janitor 1 week	66.00
	152	Esther Dillingham, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	153	Addie Nichols, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
13	154	Fred Hazelton, labor, janitor	19.00
	155	John Doyle, laborer	35.00
	156	Alfred Trombly, laborer	42.00
	157	C. A. Preston, laborer	16.00
	158	R. H. Chamberlin, laborer	40.00
	159	Walter Mousley, laborer	44.50
	160	Bert Jordan, laborer	35.00
	161	Frank Miner, laborer	48.00
	162	Duane Avery, laborer	4.80
	163	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	32.00
	164	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	165	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	166	W. F. Campbell, carpenter	60.00
	167	E. Olson, nails	10.43
	168	Socony - Vacuum, oil	27.30
	169	J. L. Hammett Co., books	15.37
16	170	W. G. & Maude E. Norton, loan	1,000.00
21	171	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	40.00

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	172	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	173	John Doyle, laborer	24.04
	174	Alfred Trombly, laborer	28.00
	175	C. A. Preston, laborer	39.00
	176	R. H. Chamberlin, laborer	40.00
	177	Walter Mousley, laborer	42.00
	178	Bert Jordan, laborer	28.00
	179	Frank Miner, laborer	40.00
	180	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
	181	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	32.00
	182	C. A. Preston, laborer	8.25
	183	John Druge	15.85
	184	J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	5.05
	185	N. P. Clough, supplies	9.95
26	186	The Shepard Co.	558.34
	187	James Doyle, laborer	5.00
	188	Martin Hatch, supplies	9.59
	189	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	190	Esther Dillingham, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	191	Addie Nichols, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	192	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	193	Maria Preston, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	194	Helen Stone, teaching 1 week	35.00
	195	Ralph Stevens, janitor 2 weeks	6.00
	196	Berenice Doyle, janitor 2 weeks	17.00
	197	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
27	198	Geo. Basingthwaighte, electrician	196.99
	199	N. P. Clough	175.45
	200	The Shepard Co.	77.78
	201	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	202	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	203	John Doyle, laborer	35.00
	204	C. A. Preston, laborer	16.00
	205	R. H. Chamberlin, laborer	44.50
	206	Walter Mousley, laborer	48.00
	207	Frank Miner, laborer	48.00
	208	W. F. Campbell, plumber	60.00
Oct. 3	209	V. A. Clogston	3.00
4	210	L. W. Singer, books	2.59
	211	C. W. Berghorn, supplies	33.05



DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	212	The Shepard Co., supplies	16.36
	213	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	214	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	215	John Doyle, laborer	21.00
	216	C. A. Preston, laborer	44.50
	217	R. H. Chamberlin, laborer	50.25
	218	Walter Mousley, laborer	18.50
	219	Frank Miner, laborer	43.50
	220	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	16.00
	221	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
	222	C. A. Preston, mixer	6.00
	223	W. G. Norton, taking census	8.50
7	224	Benj. H. Sanborn, books	2.25
	225	A. C. Parker, Supt.	45.10
	226	The Macmillan Co., books	7.03
	227	Vermont Copper Co.	3.20
	228	W. G. Norton, laborer	48.00
10	229	The Shepard Co.	154.10
	230	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	70.00
	231	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	232	Maria Preston, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	233	Addie Nichols, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	234	Esther Dillingham, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	235	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	236	Berenice Doyle, janitor	17.00
	237	Fred Hazelton, janitor and labor on wood	14.00
	238	Ralph Stevens, janitor 2 weeks	6.00
	239	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	240	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	241	John Doyle, laborer	42.00
	242	C. A. Preston, laborer	48.00
	243	Frank Miner, laborer	44.50
	244	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	8.00
	245	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
	246	W. F. Campbell, nails	4.56
	247	C. A. Preston, mixer	5.25
12	248	A. J. Colby, insuring	80.00
14	249	George Bassingthwaighte, electrician	105.48
	250	American Education, supplies	27.60

DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	251	The Macmillian Co., books	5.57
18	252	Socony - Vacuum, oil	26.25
	253	White River Paper Co.	11.35
	254	Berenice Doyle, janitor, 1 week	7.75
	255	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	256	E. Olson, carpenter	45.00
	257	John Doyle, laborer	21.00
	258	C. A. Preston, laborer	32.00
	259	Frank Miner, laborer	48.00
	260	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
19	261	Helen Stone, teaching	10.15
	262	Scribners, Charles, books	3.01
	263	Houghton Mifflin, books	3.08
22	264	White River Paper Co., supplies	43.29
	265	Berenice Doyle, janitor, 2 weeks	17.00
	266	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	11.00
	267	Philip Stevens, janitor 2 weeks	6.00
	268	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	70.00
	269	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	270	Maria Preston, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	271	Esther Dillingham, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	272	Addie Nichols, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	273	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
25	274	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	275	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	276	C. A. Preston, laborer	48.00
	277	Frank Miner, laborer	48.00
	278	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	48.00
	279	John Doyle, laborer	6.54
	280	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
	281	C. A. Preston, laborer	2.25
28	282	The Shepard Co., supplies	47.86
	283	The Macmillan Co., supplies	7.40
	284	Berenice Doyle, janitor	9.00
29	285	Socony - Vacuum, oil	105.00
31	286	Ralph H. Perkins, lumber	60.80
	287	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	47.50
	288	E. Olson, carpenter	47.50
	289	C. A. Preston, laborer	39.00
	290	C. A. Preston, mixer	8.50
	291	Frank Miner, laborer	48.00

DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	292	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	12.10
	293	W. F. Campbell, plumber	43.00
Nov.	2	294 Thetford Academy, tuition	475.00
	295	Ginn & Co., books	5.88
	296	The Macmillan Co., books	9.28
	297	N. P. Clough	616.27
	298	Houghton Mifflin Co., books	3.54
	299	A. C. Parker, Supt.	45.10
	300	J. Guy & Grace Huntley, loan	1,000.00
	8	301 E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
		302 C. A. Preston, laborer	39.99
		303 Frank Miner, laborer	40.00
		304 Ralph Reynolds, laborer	40.00
		305 W. F. Campbell, plumber	52.50
		306 The Shepard Co., supplies	33.30
		307 N. P. Clough Co., supplies	5.30
		308 Fred Hazelton, janitor	9.20
		309 Berenice Doyle, janitor, 2 weeks	17.00
		310 Philip Stevens, janitor 2 weeks	6.00
		311 Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	70.00
		312 Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
		313 Maria Preston, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
		314 Addie Nichols, teaching 1 week	32.00
		315 Esther Dillingham, teaching 1 week	32.00
		316 Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	9	317 R. K. Prescott, cement and trucking	483.50
	12	318 Lyndon Institute, tuition	60.00
		319 C. W. Berghorn, supplies	11.31
	14	320 F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
		321 E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
		322 C. A. Preston, laborer	14.50
		323 Frank Miner, laborer	26.25
		324 Ralph Reynolds, laborer	48.00
		325 W. F. Campbell	40.00
	21	326 Gertie W. Dearborn, teaching 1 week	32.00
		327 Addie Nichols, teaching 1 week	32.00
		328 Esther Dillingham, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
		329 Maria Preston, teaching 2 weeks	64.00

DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	330	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	331	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	70.00
	332	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	333	Berenice Doyle, janitor 2 weeks	17.00
	334	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
	335	Philip Stevens, janitor 2 weeks	6.00
	336	The Shepard Co., supplies, new building	94.93
	337	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	15.00
	338	E. Olson, carpenter	15.00
	339	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	24.00
	340	W. F. Campbell, plumber	16.29
22	341	Town of Sharon, transportation	42.00
25	342	William G. MacDonald, fire extinguisher	45.00
	343	Marline Ruddy, transportation	8.00
	344	Anna Robinson, transportation	14.00
	345	L. A. Judd, transportation	7.00
	346	George K. Brown, labor and transportation	9.00
	347	Norman Rhodes, transportation	7.00
	348	Eva Perkins, transportation	6.00
	349	Carrol Coburn, transportation	7.00
	350	Rowland Eastman, transportation	14.00
	351	Roy Perkins, transportation	5.51
	352	Town of Strafford	.93
	353	Mrs. E. Moore, transportation	6.00
	354	Jack Josier, transportation	5.84
	355	Mr. Race, transportation	16.65
	356	Mr. Dezan, transportation	19.68
	357	Alford Manning, transportation	10.39
	358	Alford Manning, tax	3.46
	359	Edwin Ward, transportation	15.07
	360	F. L. Lewis, tuition	25.00
Dec. 2	361	J. L. Hammett, books	110.30
	362	American Education, books	12.80
	363	Ginn & Co., books	3.00
	364	Socony - Vacuum, oil	99.19
	365	Walter A. Malmquist, wood	118.00
	366	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	45.00
	367	E. Olson, carpenter	45.00

DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	368	C. A. Preston, laborer	32.00
	369	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	32.00
	370	W. F. Campbell, laborer	35.63
4	371	A. C. Parker, Supt.	45.10
6	372	Frank Coburn, carpenter	40.00
	373	E. Olson, carpenter	40.00
	374	C. A. Preston, laborer	34.40
	375	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	40.00
	376	W. F. Campbell, plumber	33.75
	377	Berenice Doyle, janitor	17.00
	378	Fred Hazelton, janitor	10.00
	379	Philip Stevens, janitor	6.00
	380	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	70.00
	381	Maria Preston, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	382	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	383	Esther Dillingham, teaching 2	
	384	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	385	Gertie W. Dearborn, teaching 2 days	12.80
	386	Addie Nichols, teaching 1 week and 3 days	51.20
9	387	Ralph Hosmer, sawing wood	6.75
	388	N. P. Clough Co.	203.70
	389	Socony - Vacuum, oil	42.80
13	390	C. W. Berghorn, supplies	2.90
	391	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	392	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	393	C. A. Preston, laborer	40.00
	394	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	40.00
	395	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
14	396	The Macmillan Co., book	6.22
	397	J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	3.62
16	398	Frank T. & Marjorie Coburn, loan	1,000.00
	399	H. H. & Clio H. Kendall, loan	1,000.00
	400	W. F. & Clara Campbell, loan	1,000.00
	401	I. O. & Gladys Pixley, loan	1,200.00
19	402	George Bassignthwaighe, electrician	64.91
	403	Helen Stone, teaching 2 weeks	70.00
	404	Dora Brown, teaching 2 weeks	64.00



DATE	NO.		AMOUNT
	405	Maria Preston, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	406	Addie Nichols, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	407	Esther Dillingham, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	408	Martin Hatch, teaching 2 weeks	64.00
	409	Berenice Doyle, janitor 2 weeks	17.00
	410	Fred Hazelton, janitor 2 weeks	10.00
	411	Philip Stevens, janitor 2 weeks	8.00
20	412	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	50.00
	413	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	414	C. A. Preston, laborer	24.00
	415	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	40.00
	416	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
23	417	White River Paper Co., supplies	9.82
	418	The Macmillan Co., books	9.28
	419	C. V. P. S. Corp.	34.80
	420	Lyndon Institute, tuition	50.00
25	421	A. C. Parker, Supt.	45.10
28	422	Socony - Vacuum, oil	82.07
	423	F. T. Coburn, carpenter	36.25
	424	E. Olson, carpenter	50.00
	425	C. A. Preston, laborer	8.00
	426	Ralph Reynolds, laborer	32.00
	427	W. F. Campbell, plumber	50.00
31	428	W. F. Campbell, services	10.00
	429	George K. Brown, services	10.00
	430	W. G. Norton, making report	20.00
	431	R. K. Prescott, cement and truck	22.20
	432	W. G. & Maude E. Norton, int.	53.75
	433	George I. Varney, supplies	365.28
	434	R. A. Crass, sander	31.00
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			\$ 43,845.26
Deduct South Strafford School Building Account Outstanding Order			<hr/>
			10,000.00
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Orders Paid			\$ 33,845.26

### South Strafford School

Teachers:

Grammar:

Helen Stone, 32 weeks

\$ 1,025.00

Primary:	
Dora Brown, 33 weeks	1,018.00
Marjorie Judd, 11 weeks	314.27
Maria Preston, 14 weeks	448.00
Doris Blodgett, 8 weeks	234.00
Fuel and Lights	405.61
Janitor	320.65
Transportation	91.31
Fire Extinguishers	45.00
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	\$ 3,901.84

### Center School

Teachers:	
Grammar:	
Kathleen Little, 20 weeks	\$ 571.40
Esther Dillingham, 15 weeks	480.00
Primary:	
Gertie W. Dearborn, 21 weeks and 2 days	616.20
Addie Nichols, 13 weeks and 3 days	435.20
Fuel and Lights	204.55
Janitor	189.20
Transportation	105.19
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	\$ 2,601.74

### Pond School

Teacher:	
Martin Hatch, 35 weeks	\$ 1,054.83
Fuel and Lights	156.66
Janitor	84.00
Transportation	102.74
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	\$ 1,398.23

### Total Expenses Applying to All Schools

New Building	\$19,361.41
Out of Town Transportation	114.50
Tuition to Other Towns	113.75

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Tuition to High	2,175.00
Supplies	226.76
Text Books	548.36
Sundries	55.73
Superintendent of Schools	523.56
Loans	2,500.00
Insurance	147.63
School Directors	112.50
Interest	53.75
Census	8.50
Deed	2.00
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	\$ 25,943.45

### Summary

South Strafford School	\$ 3,901.84
Strafford Center School	2,601.74
Pond School	1,398.23
Expenses applying to all Schools	25,943.45
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	\$ 33,845.26
	5,185.86
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	\$ 39,031.12

Unexpended Balance, Jan. 1, 1947

### Receipts

On Hand	\$13,349.14
Sale of Clough School House	76.00
Sale of Norton Hill School House	115.00
Rebate of Fire Insurance on above	1.28
Sale of one length of Chimney Tile	1.00
State Aid	4,006.12
Refund of Fire Insurance on Pond School	1.00
School Tax	8,856.36
Lease Land Rent	69.22
Sheet Rock sold to Harrington	56.00
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	\$ 26,531.12
Loans (Outstanding Orders)	\$ 12,500.00
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	\$ 39,031.12

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL YEAR

July 1, 1945, to June 30, 1946

Teachers' Salaries	\$ 3,373.90
School Directors	32.50
Census and Deed	9.00
Fuel and Lights	143.75
Janitors' Services	322.90
Transportation	219.14
Tuition to Other Towns	143.75
Tuition to High	2,335.83
Supplies	189.91
Text Books	155.61
New Building	3,721.52
Sundries	20.30
Superintendent of Schools	467.94
Insurance	64.13
Interest	73.33
Loans	1,500.00
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	\$ 12,773.51

## STRAFFORD SCHOOL BUDGET

Teachers	\$ 7,500.00
School Directors	50.00
Fuel and Lights	1,000.00
Janitors	200.00
Transportation	250.00
Tuition to Other Towns	150.00
Tuition to High	2,200.00
Supplies	50.00
Text Books	200.00
Superintendent of Schools	531.00
Insurance	40.00
Loans	4,000.00
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	\$ 16,171.00

The School Directors would recommend a tax of \$2.00 on a dollar of the grand list to be raised for the school year.

GEO. K. BROWN,  
W. G. NORTON,  
WALTER F. CAMPBELL,  
School Directors.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Board of School Directors and Citizens of Strafford:

This report is for the school year ending June 30, 1946, and is a part of the report of the Board of School Directors required by law.

One one-teacher school and two two-teacher schools were maintained for thirty-five weeks. The average number of pupils enrolled was 111 and the average daily attendance was 95.24. The average cost per pupil was \$87.87. Twenty-five pupils were transported at an average cost of \$12.04. Tuition was paid for three elementary and thirty-two high school pupils. Due to increased enrollment, a third teacher was engaged at South Strafford at the beginning of the winter term.

A review of pupil progress shows that of the 131 different elementary pupils enrolled, 95 were promoted one or more grades, 10 were promoted conditionally, 3 were not promoted, 20 transferred to other schools, 2 dropped out of school, and one was demoted a grade during the year.

Although the building at South Strafford was not fully completed, due to shortages of critical materials and great difficulty in obtaining necessary items for construction and equipment when most needed, children and teachers have enjoyed advantages that were previously not available. The work there has been well done, exhibiting superior workmanship and painstaking adherence to state regulations and plan. The functional efficiency of the building has been greatly improved for school purposes, not alone by addition of classrooms making possible more effective organization by grades, but by the following features: insulation of the entire building, steam-vapor heating system with thermostat controlled oil burner, artificial lighting of the most modern type in all classrooms, space for preparing and



serving school lunches, automatic pressure pump utilizing overflow from drinking fountains for toilets and boiler, concrete work around entire building improving drainage, and concrete steps making an easier approach from the street. When fully completed the school should have new furniture, a more adequate playground, which state school officials indicate can be provided by extensive grading on top of the rising ground back of the school, and equipment for the school lunch room.

The Miller's Pond school has been wired and equipped with electric lights that meet the state standards. Up-to-date text books have been provided in arithmetic, spelling, reading, writing, hygiene, science and English. When possible, new books should be purchased for geography and history.

Present indications and all reliable sources predict rising costs for schools. Many high schools have nearly doubled their tuition rate for the next school year. Teachers' salaries are likely to increase by at least one-third. Prices of school supplies have increased, and costs of transportation and all services are likely to be much higher. Since it is the obligation of the state to equalize educational opportunity within the state and since many believe the federal government should do likewise as between states, relief for the property taxpayer in this emergency can come only to the degree that these larger tax areas assume this duty and enact legislation favorable to education.

I herewith express appreciation to the anonymous donors for the improvement at South Strafford, to the Barrett trustees for the use of the hall, and to the citizens of the town for their support.

Respectfully submitted,

A. COURTNEY PARKER,

Superintendent of Schools.

## VITAL STATISTICS

### Marriages Registered in 1946

- Feb. 15, Orville E. Perkins of Strafford to Rosalba M. Ashley of Chelsea.
- Feb. 23, Sherburne M. Howatt of Strafford to Emma F. Tenney of South Royalton.
- Feb. 23, Wendell R. Race of Strafford to Ada C. Manning of Strafford.
- May 29, Floyd W. Campbell of Strafford to Kathleen L. Little of Chelsea.
- June 2, Allen D. Livingston of Strafford to Eunice H. Linton of Strafford.
- July 28, Gerald J. Devine of Strafford to Ruth M. Gilman of Strafford.
- Nov. 15, William S. Stone of Strafford to Geraldine L. Batchelder of Bradford.

### Births Registered in 1946

- Jan. 1, (a) daughter, Sandra Jean, to James Leon and Grace Isabel (Bullard) Hayes.
- Jan. 12, (b) daughter, Rose Ann, to Bernard Allen and Jean Scharle (Rhodes) Godfrey.
- April 27, (a) daughter, Sandra Lee, to Clifford Elliot and Pauline Nellie (Gray) Pixley.
- May 13, (c) daughter, Lois Linda, to Ralph Herbert and Della Iris (Moulton) Perkins.
- May 22, (a) son, Steven Delwin, to Donovan Delwin and Barbara Jane (Gould) Preston.
- June 10, (a) daughter, Virginia Randolph, to Richard Tyson and Frances Virginia (Hawkins) Wilson.
- June 21 (a) son, Russell Gerald, Jr., to Russell Gerald and Gladys May (Russell) Pixley.
- Aug. 26, (c) son, Gregory Delwin, to Delwin Llewellyn and Hazel Beatrice (Linton) Lewis.

- Sept. 7, (c) son, Robert Earl, to Ernest and Helen Mae (Manning) Stone.
- Sept. 23, (a) son, Stephen Murray, to James William and Evelyn Sophie (Murray) Fleming.
- Sept. 30, (a) son, Gerald Dale, to Ralph Reginald and Eunice Edith (Pero) Stevens.
- Oct. 11, (c) daughter, Jean Irene, to Dexter W. and Elizabeth Irene (Fowler) Phillips.
- Nov. 12, (d) daughter, Brenda Louise, to Errol George and Viola Mae (McGill) Ralston.
- Dec. 1, (a) daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to John C. and Evelyn Anne (Jones) Wargaard.
- Dec. 2, (a) son, Francis LaFountain, to William S. and Janet Ann (LaFountain) Carey.
- Dec. 7, (c) daughter, Lois Effie, to Allen Dailey and Eunice Hazel (Linton) Livingston.
- (a) Reported from Hanover, N. H.
  - (b) Reported from Randolph.
  - (c) Reported from Lebanon, N. H.
  - (d) Reported from Barre.

### Deaths Registered in 1946

- Jan. 9, (a) Nellie Rowell Kendall, cerebral hemorrhage, arteriosclerosis, chronic myocarditis, 81 yrs., 28 days.
- Jan. 28, Belle C. Aiken, broncho pneumonia, 86 yrs., 2 mos., 25 days.
- Feb. 23, Dawson W. Doyle, intra-cranial hemorrhage, fracture of skull, left and right frontal bones; laceration sagittal sinus, laceration middle meningeal, intra-cerebral hemorrhage, 19 yrs., 6 mos., 7 days.
- March 1, (b) Susie Drown, chronic vascular nephritis, congestive heart failure, hypertensive cardio vascular disease, essential hypertension, broncho pneumonia, 74 yrs., 1 mo., 16 days.
- March 5, (c) James Wood Tyson, hypertensive vascular disease, 84 yrs., 2 mos., 15 days.

March 23, Harlan Alan Brown, heart failure, arteriosclerotic heart disease, 76 yrs., 9 mos., 17 days.

May 22, (c) Steven Delwin Preston, intra-cranial hemorrhage, hemorrhage into tentorium cerebelli and falx cerebri, prematurity, 13 hours.

June 30 (d) Benjamin T. Marshall, chronic interstitial nephritis, sarcoma right scapula, 73 yrs., 10 mos., 18 days.

July 30, Ruth Rogers Kenison, congestive heart failure, hypertensive heart disease, essential hypertension, 83 yrs., 1 mo., 4 days.

Nov. 19, Nicholas Josler, carcinoma of stomach, post operative, 71 yrs., 5 mos., 29 days.

(a) Reported from Pittsfield, Mass.

(b) Reported from Lebanon, N. H.

(c) Reported from Hanover, N. H.

(d) Reported from Haverhill, Mass.

